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Top Stories

- Realty Capital Securities LLC was charged by Massachusetts financial regulators November 12 for allegedly impersonating shareholders to use their stocks to vote on corporate governance. – *Boston Globe* (See item **6**)

- Altaf Khanani Money Laundering Organization and Al Zarooni Exchange were sanctioned as transnational criminal organizations November 12 after investigators determined that the organizations were laundering billions of dollars. – *U.S. Department of the Treasury* (See item **7**)

- Princess Cruises reported November 12 that travelers were stranded on a ship after docking in Los Angeles following a U.S. Customs and Border Protection computer failure. – *KTLA 5 Los Angeles* (See item **10**)

- Securus Technologies announced November 12 that it is investigating an alleged breach of its systems and stated that its system was not hacked by an outside, but likely breached by an internal employee. – *International Business Times* (See item **26**)

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Energy Sector

Nothing to report

Chemical Industry Sector

Nothing to report

Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

1. *November 13, Hazleton Standard Speaker* – (Pennsylvania) **Nuclear reactor shut down.** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission announced November 13 that a preliminary investigation into the shutdown of the Unit 1 reactor at Talen Energy's Susquehanna Nuclear plant in Salem Township November 12 indicates that the reactor tripped due to high pressure levels while workers were testing a main steam line. The investigation into the automatic shutdown is ongoing and the unit remains in stable and safe condition.
Source: http://standardspeaker.com/news/nuclear-reactor-shut-down-1.1971058

Critical Manufacturing Sector

2. *November 13, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* – (Pennsylvania) **MI Metals settles hazardous waste storage violations at Millersburg, Pa. facility.** Pennsylvania-based MI Metals agreed to pay a $58,816 penalty November 12 to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to settle alleged violations after an inspection at the company's Millersburg manufacturing facility found violations of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act for failing to properly store hazardous materials.
Source: http://yosemite.epa.gov/opa/admpress.nsf/0/012DDDA435603B7C85257EFB005512D2

3. *November 12, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission* – (International) **Mahindra USA recalls compact tractors due to fire hazard.** Mahindra USA, Inc., issued a recall November 12 for approximately 2,000 eMax Compact Tractors in the U.S. and about 100 models in Canada, due to a potential fuel line break issue that can cause a fire. The company has received 61 reports of cracks in the fuel tank pump.
Source: http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/Recall-Alerts/2016/Mahindra-USA-Recalls-Compact-Tractors/

Defense Industrial Base Sector

Nothing to report

Financial Services Sector

4. *November 12, Securityweek* – (National) **New PoS malware delivered via malicious docs, exploit kit.** Researchers from Proofpoint observed the "AbaddonPOS" point-of-

sale (PoS) malware and determined that it was being widely distributed with the aid compromised Microsoft Word documents designed to download information-stealing threats. Once the malware infects the system, it targets the memory of all processes in track 1 and track 2 data associated with payment cards.
Source: http://www.securityweek.com/new-pos-malware-delivered-malicious-docs-exploit-kit

5. *November 12, Orange County Daily Pilot* – (California) **Newport lawyer accused of $8 million investment scam pleads guilty to 3 felonies.** A former attorney from Orange County pleaded guilty to 2 felony counts of wire fraud and 1 felony count of tax evasion November 12 for misleading investors by collecting their investment money and spending it on personal expenses, netting at least $8 million.
Source: http://www.latimes.com/socal/daily-pilot/news/tn-dpt-me-1113-kang-plea-20151112-story.html

6. *November 12, Boston Globe* – (Massachusetts) **Secretary of State alleges corporate-voting fraud at Realty Capital Securities.** Boston-based Realty Capital Securities LLC was charged by Massachusetts financial regulators November 12 for allegedly impersonating shareholders to use their stocks to vote on corporate governance, which included a proxy vote that was used for a proposed $378 million deal and another that would have given New York investors who controlled the company more control over Business Development Corp. of America.
Source: https://www.bostonglobe.com/business/2015/11/12/galvin-alleges-corporate-voting-fraud-realty-capital-securities/YbDnyUvM6nxJ8NbJEM0moK/story.html

7. *November 12, U.S. Department of the Treasury* – (International) **Treasury sanctions the Khanani Money Laundering Organization.** The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control announced November 12 that the Altaf Khanani Money Laundering Organization (Khanani MLO) and Dubai-based money services company Al Zarooni Exchange were sanctioned as transnational criminal organizations after investigators determined that the organizations were knowingly laundering billions of dollars to organized crime groups, drug trafficking organizations, and designated global terrorist groups.
Source: http://www.treasury.gov/press-center/press-releases/Pages/jl0265.aspx

8. *November 10, WFIE 14 Evansville* – (Indiana) **36 people charged in fraud scheme involving staged car wrecks in the Tri-State.** Thirty suspects out of the 36 people allegedly involved in a scheme to defraud insurance companies out of more than $600,000 in false insurance claims over a 4 year period were served warrants November 10 in Indiana. The suspect's recruited people to participate in staged crashes and trained them how to act in order to file false insurance claims and run up medical bills through hospital stays.
Source: http://www.14news.com/story/30484469/36-people-charged-in-fraud-scheme-involving-staged-car-wrecks-in-the-tri-state

Transportation Systems Sector

9. *November 13, Calaveras Enterprise* – (California) **Cement truck accident closes Highway 49 south of Angels Camp.** Highway 49 at the Stevenot Bridge was shut down for more than 3 hours November 12 after a fully-loaded semi-truck hauling cement, overturned and injured the driver.
Source: http://www.calaverasenterprise.com/news/article_7b19c42e-899e-11e5-b007-8b43c54c3b47.html

10. *November 12, KTLA 5 Los Angeles* – (California) **Computer glitch leaves passengers stranded for hours after cruise ship arrives in San Pedro.** A Princess Cruises spokesperson reported November 12 that 30 percent of the Star Princess's 2,600 travelers were temporarily stranded on the ship after docking in San Pedro, Los Angeles while crews manually processed passengers following a U.S. Customs and Border Protection computer failure. Officials reported that the incident was a result of a computer glitch and not a cyber-attack.
Source: http://ktla.com/2015/11/12/computer-glitch-leaves-passengers-stranded-for-hours-after-cruise-ship-arrives-in-san-pedro/

11. *November 12, Plymouth-Canton Patch* – (Michigan) **Tanker truck driver died instantly in crash.** Interstate 275 in Wayne County was shut down for several hours November 12 while crews worked to remove debris following a 2-vehicle crash involving a semi-truck and a Wayne County Road Commission vehicle that killed 1 person.
Source: http://patch.com/michigan/plymouth-mi/breaking-msp-says-avoid-area-fatal-crash-near-canton

12. *November 12, WJXX 26 Orange Park; WTLV 12 Jacksonville* – (Florida) **American Airlines flight makes emergency landing at JIA.** An American Airlines flight headed to Dallas returned to Jacksonville International Airport in Florida for an emergency landing November 12 due to mechanical issues. The plane, carrying 140 passengers, landed safely and maintenance crews were dispatched to inspect the aircraft.
Source: http://www.firstcoastnews.com/story/news/local/2015/11/12/flight-makes-emergency-landing-jacksonville/75673748/

Food and Agriculture Sector

13. *November 12, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Trader Joe's issues voluntary allergy alert on tree nuts in Trader Giotto's Butternut Squash Triangoli.** California-based Trader Joe's issued a nationwide recall November 12 for refrigerated packages of Trader Giotto's Butternut Squash Triangoli products due to misbranding and undeclared tree nuts. The problem was discovered after several customers reported allergic reactions following consumption of the products.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm472440.htm

14. *November 12, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Homestat Farm recalls Organic Steel Cut Oats & Chia with Flax and Rye Flakes because of**

possible health risk. Dublin, Ohio-based Homestat Farm issued a voluntary recall November 12 for 42 ounce cartons of Organic Steel Cut Oats & Chia with Flax and Rye Flakes after a supplier discovered that the flax seed ingredient may be contaminated with Salmonella. The recall was initiated after contamination was found in flax seed provided to another customer.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm472490.htm

15. *November 12, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **SpaghettiOs Original 14.2oz cans recalled due to potential choking hazard.** Campbell Soup Company issued a nationwide recall November 12 for 355,000 cans of its SpaghettiOs Original soup packaged in 14.2 ounce cans after consumer complaints revealed that the parts of the plastic can lining may peel off and present a choking hazard.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm472508.htm

Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

16. *November 12, WOOD 8 Grand Rapids* – (Michigan) **Shelby under boil water advisory.** The Village of Shelby in Michigan was issued a boil-water advisory November 12 until further notice after its water system tested positive for Coliform bacteria.
Source: http://woodtv.com/2015/11/12/shelby-under-boil-water-advisory/

Healthcare and Public Health Sector

17. *November 12, Salt Lake City Deseret News* – (Utah) **Hepatitis C investigation expands to second hospital.** Davis Hospital and Medical Center in Layton will notify 2,369 patients November 12 stating that they may have been exposed to hepatitis C after a patient at McKay-Dee Hospital contracted the blood-borne pathogen allegedly from a former nurse who stole morphine and Dilaudid. Davis Hospital issued alerts after investigators discovered that the nurse was previously employed and let go from the hospital for stealing intravenous Benadryl.
Source: http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865641401/Hepatitis-C-investigation-expands-to-second-hospital.html?pg=all

Government Facilities Sector

18. *November 13, Oakland Press* – (Michigan) **Rochester High School closed due to power outage.** A power outage prompted the closure of Rochester High School in Michigan November 12 while crews worked to restore service.
Source: http://www.theoaklandpress.com/general-news/20151112/rochester-high-school-closed-due-to-power-outage

19. *November 13, Poughkeepsie Journal* – (New York) **Anonymous threat locks down Marist campus.** All classes were cancelled at Maris College in Poughkeepsie November 13 until further notice while police investigated an anonymous online threat made against the college. Students in dormitories were ordered to stay indoors during the investigation.

Source:
http://www.poughkeepsiejournal.com/story/news/local/2015/11/13/annoymous-threat-locks-down-marist-campus/75695892/

20. *November 13, WXIN 59 Indianapolis* – (Indiana) **Nine students suffer minor injuries after hit-and-run crash on northwest side.** An accident involving a Lincoln Middle School bus and a truck left nine students injured in Indianapolis November 13. Police are searching for the truck, which fled the scene.
Source: http://fox59.com/2015/11/13/pike-township-school-bus-involved-in-accident-on-northwest-side-multiple-injuries-reported/

21. *November 12, KAKE 10 Wichita* – (Kansas) **6,000 acres scorched in Cowley County grass fire.** Crews worked to contain a grass fire November 12 that burned 6,000 acres in Cowley County.
Source: http://www.kake.com/home/headlines/Crews-battle-grass-fire-at-Butler-Cowley-county-line-346158322.html

Emergency Services Sector

22. *November 12, Foster's Daily Democrat* – (New Hampshire) **Computer virus infects county dispatch center.** The Strafford County chief deputy announced November 12 that computers at the Strafford County Regional Dispatch Center in Dover were infected by the CryptoLocker ransomware which severely limited the amount of data utilized by both dispatchers and emergency personnel on the field. Officials were able to isolate the virus and are working on bringing systems back online.
Source: http://www.fosters.com/article/20151112/NEWS/151119727

For another story, see item **26**

Information Technology Sector

23. *November 13, Securityweek* – (International) **Flaw in "Spring Social" puts user accounts at risk.** Researchers at SourceClear (SRC:CLR) discovered that a vulnerability in Pivotal Software's Spring Social authentication feature can be exploited via a specially crafted Uniform Resource Locator (URL) that bypasses the cross-site request forgery (CSRF) protection to link an attacker's account, on a similar service to GitHub or Facebook, with a victim's account on a compromised Web site. Pivotal Software patched the vulnerability with the release of Spring Social Core update.
Source: http://www.securityweek.com/flaw-spring-social-puts-user-accounts-risk

24. *November 12, The Register* – (International) **Jenkins plugs 11 security holes with two updates.** Jenkins released Versions 1.638 and 1.625.2 for its open source integration tool that patched 11 critical security vulnerabilities including a zero-day vulnerability that exploited Jenkins CLI subsystem; a secret key flaw that allowed attackers to connect as slaves, take over Jenkins systems, and access private data; and a critical flaw that used unsafe deserialization, allowing remote attackers to run arbitrary code on the

Jenkins master, among other vulnerabilities.
Source: http://www.theregister.co.uk/2015/11/12/jenkins_security_update/

25. *November 12, The Register* – (International) **Latest Android phones hijacked with tidy one-stop-Chrome-pop.** A researcher from Quihoo 360 discovered, and reported during the MobilePwn2Own event at the PacSec security conference, a single clean exploit in Google's Chrome browser for Android via its JavaScript v8 engine that does not require several chained vulnerabilities to gain access and load software without user interaction once a user visits a malicious Web site.
Source: http://www.theregister.co.uk/2015/11/12/mobile_pwn2own/

For additional stories, see items **4** and **22**

Internet Alert Dashboard

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Information on IT information sharing and analysis can be found at the IT ISAC (Information Sharing and Analysis Center) Web site: http://www.it-isac.org

Communications Sector

26. *November 12, International Business Times* – (National) **Securus Technologies: A rogue employee, not a hacker, exposed 70 million inmate calls.** Securus Technologies announced November 12 that it is investigating an alleged breach of its systems that provides phone service to incarcerated people around the U.S., and stated that its system was not hacked by an outside, but likely breached by an internal employee. An investigation into the breach, which reportedly includes unauthorized access to over 70 million recorded prison phone conversations, is ongoing.
Source: http://www.ibtimes.com/securus-technologies-rogue-employee-not-hacker-exposed-70-million-inmate-calls-2181819

Commercial Facilities Sector

27. *November 13, Santa Rosa Press Democrat* – (California) **Fire damages 102-year-old church in Monte Rio.** A November 12 fire caused an estimated $300,000 dollars in damage to the St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Monte Rio after it began in a storage closet in the rear of the church. The blaze was contained and no injuries were reported.
Source: http://www.pressdemocrat.com/news/4747143-181/fire-damages-102-year-old-church-in

28. *November 12, WFAA 8 Dallas* – (Texas) **Fort Worth fire affects 50 apartment residents.** A 2-alarm fire November 12 at a Fort Worth apartment complex displaced 22 people and left 20 others without power overnight after at least 8 apartment units were destroyed. Fire crews extinguished the blaze and officials worked to secure a place for displaced residents.
Source: http://www.wfaa.com/story/news/local/tarrant-county/2015/11/12/fort-worth-

fire-affects-50-apartment-residents/75685250/

Dams Sector

Nothing to report

NTAS

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